Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 03 Mar 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 04 Mar 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 03 Mar 2023 at 03:07

Confidence: Medium confidence for settled weather to continue but remaining quite cloudy, perhaps brighter weather over the weekend. Medium confidence for colder weather to push across Eryri from Tuesday with northerly winds and temperatures below average for the time of year.

Headline for Friday 03 Mar 2023: Cloudy and quite dull at times, light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 03 Mar 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Dull	Cloudy	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Friday 03 Mar 2023

Weather: The morning will be quite dull but mainly dry, with any light spots of drizzle restricted to eastern parts. There will be very few cloud breaks but perhaps more chance later in the afternoon in the west. Cloud may also break later in day or in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%, early low cloud will lift above all summits.

Low Cloud and visibility: Layers of scattered cloud above 700m are expected in the early morning however these should lift above the height of all summits for the remainder of the day. General visibility below the cloud layer should be good or very good but it will feel rather dull in the morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	11/16 E	14/17 E	13/18 NE	10/13 NE	10/13 NE	11/16 NE	8/10 NE
600	8/12 E	7/9 NE	11/14 NE	8/11 NE	5/8 NE	5/9 NE	5/7 E
300	5/10 E	3/6 NE	7/13 NE	6/10 NE	4/8 NE	2/6 E	3/5 E
Valley	5/10 E	3/6 NE	7/12 NE	6/10 NE	4/7 NE	2/6 NE	3/5 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-3/-8	-3/-9	-2/-8	-1/-6	-2/-6	-2/-7	-2/-6
600	-0/-4	-0/-4	1/-4	1/-2	1/-2	0/-2	0/-2
300	2/-1	3/1	4/1	4/2	3/2	2/1	2/0
Valley	3/0	4/2	5/3	6/4	4/3	3/2	3/2
Freezing Level*	300m	400m	600m	600m	600m	500m	500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A cold feel in the dull, cloudy conditions even with mainly light winds.

Forecast for Saturday 04 Mar 2023

Weather: Dry overnight with some cloud breaks. Another cloudy day and quite dull at times, although remaining dry.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%, a few patches of lower cloud at times.

Low Cloud and visibility: The main cloud base will be above all summits with good or very good visibility but it will seem quite hazy at times.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 rising to 8 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 1 Celsius rising to Plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 600-700m

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